



Again another day has passed and more it is the same old story—no more ball grounds. Mr. Wright is trying to get matters in shape so that President McKee can close a deal for grounds this week. The other clubs have been united in the avowal that if the wheeling muddle is not settled before the end of the week that they will conclude that nothing can be done and that the league is doomed to die "a born." Out of all the sites that are now being considered, however, the one at Wheeling is the best. The location is almost a certainty to be the worst of the old Irwin grounds will be taken. This location is not so bad as it has been represented by some people.

It is not generally known here that Mr. McKee, the owner of the Wheeling baseball club, is also the owner of the franchise in Patterson, N. J., of the Atlantic association. He has engaged E. G. Barrows, of Pittsburgh, who managed Wheeling last year, as manager. Mr. McKee has about twenty-five players on his list, but it is said that the deal will get the pick of the men, it being realized that it is necessary for Wheeling to have a team that will constantly figure near the front in order for the club to be successful financially. Unless McKee's plans are disarranged by failure to secure grounds, it is certain Wheeling will have a team much stronger than that which represented the city in the last season. The league in the latter part of last season.

Considerable interest is evinced in the approaching bowling contests between a picked team of Wheeling bowlers and the Linden Grove, champions of the east. The candidates for places on the local team organized by selecting George Harvey, of Brownies, as captain, and Will C. Handian, of Nameless, as secretary. The boys have also selected a committee to receive the visitors and act as their hosts during their stay of two days in Wheeling. In the practice last night a team of five rolled a score of 550. If this work can be repeated during the series Wheeling will beat out the Brooklynites, as the latter will labor under the disadvantage of being on strange alleys.

A line on the form of the Linden Grove team is seen in the average of the team in the American national tournament which has just ended in Brooklyn and New York. Linden Grove finished third with a team average of 837 for five men. The individual averages were as follows: Menninger, 181; Silver, 181; Thynne, 177; Paulsen, 177; Wingfield, 169. Their high team score was 559, and the best individual score was 159. During the season was Silver's 336. It will be altogether surprising if Wheeling doesn't make it very interesting for the easterners.

Wheeling fanciers of pugilism will be interested in the coming fight between George Dixon and Harry Marshall, scheduled to be pulled off in Boston on March 17. It will be fifteen rounds. Says Charley Zuber: This would seem to indicate that Dixon's illness was not of an alarming or serious nature. If the champion is in any way near his old time form he should be a decided favorite over Marshall. The latter ranks but a second class, and his American record is not a brilliant one. Marshall is a defensive fighter, however, and may be able to withstand the rushes of Dixon for forty-five minutes. The men have agreed to weigh in at 125 pounds.

**NOW IT'S BREITENSTEIN.**  
The St. Louis Twirler Thinks He Cannot Be Reserved by Von Der Ahe.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 3.—St. Louis is now in line with a case similar in a measure to that which for a year kept John Montgomery Ward, former captain and manager of the New York club, prominently before the base ball public. Theodore Breitenstein, the crack "south paw" and John Otten, catcher, who played with the St. Louis Browns last season, claim that they are no longer under reservation by the club. Breitenstein bases his claim on article ten of the national agreement, which holds that unless a player is formally offered a contract before March 1, the board of arbitration declare him exempted from liability to retention under the reserve clause. Manager Diddlebeck, on the contrary, says that the contract has been in President Von Der Ahe's desk for three weeks awaiting the signature of the twirler. The Browns' manager says he made Breitenstein a verbal offer, but that the pitcher did not give him an opportunity to present a contract, but told him he would have to conduct his dealings with the Chester, Ill., people, as he had signed to play with that club.

**YOUNGSTOWN IN LINE.**

President Anderson Says His Team Will Be Among the Leaders.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 2.—President Anderson, of the Youngstown Electric railway lines, said to-night: "The organization of a base ball club here as a member of the Inter-state League is a certainty, and we will put up the finest talent in the league. Charley Hazen, of Akron, who has already played, will be manager, and has already selected a team, six of which have been signed. Campbell, of Cleveland, will be catcher. The grounds west of the city have been leased, and they will be put in shape at once. Youngstown will have a team that will be a credit not only to the city but to the Inter-State League."

**ABOUT JACK GLASSCOCK.**

The Veteran May Fool Some of the Knockers Before the Season Ends.

Several papers in the Western league cities are "knocking" on Jack Glasscock, who is slated for short on Comiskey's St. Paul team. The veteran may fool some of the scribes. This is from the Columbus Journal:

Manager Loftus made a wise move when he did not sign Jack Glasscock, and already Comiskey is thinking seriously whether he did not go off half cocked when he rushed into the breach and secured the veteran. In any event Comiskey has signed Frank Hollingsworth, the crack short stop of the Lincoln-Cedar Rapids team last season, to take Glasscock's place. If he should fail to show up in his old-time form, no one realizes the fact better than the St. Paul magnate that they play very fast ball in the Western league. When he secured the franchise for that city he announced that he would play regularly at first base and that it would be the easiest sort of a snap for him. He

est and profoundly sincere, as if he were the original of the characters he impersonated. His coming here is a treat that should not be missed.

#### MARKET MELANGE.

**Prejudice Against Certain Food Products Is Fast Disappearing.**

In the course of a chat yesterday afternoon a well known commission merchant remarked to the Intelligencer man that the prejudice of the public against some new things in food products is rapidly disappearing. Formerly there was almost no market for "oleo" unless the cute grocer hoodooed his customer into buying it under the impression that he was getting good old country butter. Now what a difference! Of all the butter consumed in Wheeling it is estimated that more than one-half is butterine. And it is bought by the people with a complete understanding of what they are getting. The truth is, says the commission man, butterine is a pure article, half of the country butter that reaches the market, and the public now knows that it is not injurious in any way.

Speaking of butterine, the introduction of that article has worked wonders in the price of butter. Five or six years ago it was not unusual for butter to sell for sixty to seventy cents a pound during the winter months. Now country butter rarely reaches beyond twenty cents a pound at retail. Were it not for the manufactured article butter would be selling to-day for forty to sixty cents a pound.

The immense crop of apples in the Ohio valley last fall has been spoken of before. During the fall apples were unusually cheap and through the winter prices have been rather low. Now, however, the farmers have sold nearly all their apples and the price is going up. Yesterday's quotations (wholesale) for apples ranged from \$2.50 and \$3 for fancy stock to \$1 and \$1.50 for medium. There will be a still further advance soon.

#### MARTIN'S FERRY.

**Haps and Mishaps in the Thriving City Across the River.**

Last night a horse attached to a buggy ran away on the pike near George Webb, two miles back of Martin's Ferry. The horse broke one of his hind legs and the buggy was demolished. The horse was owned by William Hall, of the Wayside Inn, at Colerain, and was driven by one of the boarders. The animal was shot.

Mrs. Thomas Ferry, formerly of the Island, died in a hospital at Cleveland on Monday evening, from the effects of an operation for tumor. The funeral will take place at Sharon, Pa., to-day. James Ferry, of Martin's Ferry, who is a brother of the husband of the deceased went to Sharon yesterday to attend the funeral.

The pupils in the high school, like other Martin's Ferry people, are almost unanimously in favor of recognizing the struggling Cuban as belligerents. They were asked their opinions on the matter and the sentiment was strongly in favor of the recognition.

Hiawatha council of 100 members moved from its old quarters into the new hall in the Shreve-Harvey building last night and will hold its first meeting to-night. Six organizations will occupy this hall.

A stranger was in town yesterday, who said he wanted to buy all the guns he could find to use in fighting Spain. He had been drinking.

It is thought that the Masons will commence the work of laying brick on the Fraternity Hall Association building about April 1.

Commencing to-morrow, the Martin's Ferry and Bridgeport electrical railway will run cars the entire length of the line.

Mrs. M. L. Cope will return from Kane, Pa., to-morrow, her father, J. H. Drehan, esq., meeting her at Pittsburgh.

Sheet mills Nos. 4 and 5 at the Aetna-Standard Bridge and Terminal Company were off Monday night on account of the breaking of the journal.

The English Lutheran Sunday school organized last Sunday, will meet every Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Yesterday the Dan Morgan property in Sheets' addition was sold by the sheriff to Mrs. M. Sheets at \$1,250.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harrell, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Dean returned to Potomac yesterday.

Miss Nellie Stiff and Miss Mabel Holloway, of Flushing, spent yesterday with friends in Martin's Ferry.

A large number of Martin's Ferry people took in "Wang" last night at the Wheeling Opera house.

Miss Emma Henderson attended the funeral of the child of her brother John at Smithfield yesterday.

Theodore Snodgrass says he has not returned from the contest for city treasurer as reported.

Prof. T. Huskins gave a phonograph entertainment in the M. E. church at Titonville last night.

Chauncey Hogg, the oil man, has returned from his home at Cadiz, where he has been sick.

Last night Dr. J. G. Parr returned from Smithfield and reports his wife much better.

The city council failed to get a quorum last night and will meet next Saturday night.

Miss May Sedgwick will entertain this evening in honor of her visitor, Miss Bell.

Miss Carrie Hobbs returned last night from an extended visit at Baltimore.

A. D. Cass, of Dillonville, was shaking hands with friends in town last night.

Good progress is being made in drilling the different oil wells at Colerain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tweedy spent yesterday with friends at Mt. Pleasant.

Rev. F. Ross, of Concho, preached in St. Mary's church last night.

Miss Rebecca Thompson will be married to Mr. Dan Evans this week.

The Standard orchestra will give a hop at Scheele's hall to-night.

Mrs. E. C. Boyd will entertain a number of friends this evening.

Mrs. W. D. Cochran returned to Grandview, yesterday.

#### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

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By using "The New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the kidneys, bladder and back in male or female. It relieves retention of water, and pain in passing it almost immediately. Save yourself by using this marvelous cure. Its use will prevent fatal consequences in almost all cases by its great alternative and healing powers. Sold by R. H. List, Druggist, Wheeling, W. Va.

"GIVE me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the Pale People. Logan & Co., Wheeling, W. Va., R. F. Peabody, Benwood and Dowie & Co., Bridgeport, O.

#### BELLAIRE REPUBLICAN.

Select Municipal and Township Candidates Next Saturday.

The names filed with the Bellaire Republican city committee yesterday as candidates before the Republican primaries to be held next Saturday afternoon, from 3 to 7 o'clock, are as follows:

Mayor—Gus A. Stephens, Will Daugherty, John W. Duncan, Frank S. Mason, J. W. Morrell, W. C. Cochran and Lewis Kraemer.

Marshal—Henry W. Bahr.

City Solicitor—H. S. Armstrong.

City Treasurer—Samuel Simmons and H. A. Lichtenberger.

City Commissioner—William Shanafelt, W. M. Reed, L. Lancaster and John Davis.

Water Works Trustee—D. T. Anderson and William Hamford.

School Board—Robert Johnson, Christian Bippus and Albert S. Johnston.

Council, First Ward—L. W. Glicher, Assessor, M. L. Johnson, John A. Peddicord, Lewis Jeffers, Jr., and James Holt.

Second Ward—David Walker, Assessor, I. T. Freeze, Third Ward—O. H. Young, Assessor, Thomas A. Rankin, Fourth Ward—Augustus Bahr, Assessor, W. H. Thompson, Fifth Ward—William J. Carson, Assessor, John Thurn and Charles Blon.

Township Trustee—Alex. Lysle and W. F. Unterzuber.

Township Clerk—Amos Roscoe.

Assessor (West Wheeling precinct)—Arthur Stewart.

#### BELLAIRE.

All Sorts of Local News and Gossip from the Glass City.

Judge J. B. Driggs held a session of court in the law office of John A. Gallaher yesterday to hear the case of the assignee of the Putney Glass Co., against some of the subscribers to the stock of the Heatherington-Shearer Glass Company, that was afterwards transferred to the Putney Glass Company. Hon John A. Howard, of Wheeling, assisted the assignee and Attorney James C. Tallman and D. W. Cooper, of Bellaire, and J. Cal. Gray, of Martin's Ferry, appeared for the defense.

The case occupied the entire day and was left with the court in the evening.

The advance of six cents per ton in the wages of coal miners will take effect from last Monday if the agreement at Pittsburgh means what it appears to. Many of the coal miners, however, will not count the cash till they get it.

John W. Hopkins and Miss Edna P. Bamford, two loving young people, called at the home of Rev. O. W. Holmes Monday evening and that clergyman pronounced the ceremony that made them husband and wife.

Four colored porters for the hotels were arrested by Marshal Bahr yesterday for annoying passengers about the depots and the mayor taxed each one of them \$4.00.

The re-union celebration of the American Mechanics at Odd Fellows' hall this evening will be well attended by the members and a good time is anticipated.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a free entertainment at that church to-morrow evening and refreshments will be served in the lecture room.

W. W. Watt, of Barnesville, was re-appointed one of the trustees of the Children's Home at Barnesville by the commission yesterday.

An effort was made to have J. B. Smith run for mayor, but that gentleman declined to enter the race at the eleventh hour.

Col. Rodney Mitchell, cashier of the First National bank at St. Clairsville, is seriously ill.

The machinery for the new ice plant at Jacob Boneysteele is arriving now.

It has been held that consumption is hereditary, and the fact that one person of a family had it is all that is necessary to show that others of that family could not escape it.

This is partly true, and partly nature. A man with weak lungs is likely to transmit that weakness to his children. But there is no reason in the world why the weakness should be allowed to develop. There is no reason why the lungs should remain weak. Weak lungs predispose a place to consumption. They provide a place for germs to settle. They are all that is necessary. Once let the germs of disease gain a foothold, and they increase with a deadly rapidity. Pretty soon the blood is full of them, and so loses its healthfulness and its strength-giving qualities. If the weakness is in some other organ, the disease will show itself in that organ. The germs will get into the blood, just the same, and the body will begin to lose strength. We speak particularly of consumption because it is most common—because it causes more than one-sixth of all deaths in the world.

If there is a weak and crumbling spot in the foundation of a house, the owner clears out the decaying material, supplants it with new, strong stuff. That's all there is to do. That's all that's necessary.

That is exactly the thing to do with the lungs. Keep them full of rich, red, wholesome blood, and the weakness will disappear. Decaying tissue will be thrown off, and new material will be added until the lungs are well and perfectly strong again.

This is the thing that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery does. This is what makes it cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption where it is taken according to directions. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be in the body. It exterminates them completely and forces them out of the system. It supplies the blood with rich, life-giving properties. It makes the appetite good, digestion perfect. It supplies the needed nutriment to all the tissues and makes sound, healthy flesh.

There are some interesting facts about it told last night by Dr. Piercer at work, "Common Sense Medical Adviser." This book of 1008 pages will be sent free on receipt of twenty-one (21) one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing.

Send to J. C. Wyeth & Co., Dispensary Medical Association, No. 65, Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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**One Million**

bicycles will be built and sold this year.

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sell these unrivaled wheels in West Virginia, Ohio and western Pennsylvania. See them at

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before selecting your 1896 mount. That cydiald sprocket is a winner. And there are other points that make the Tribune a leader among wheels.

**Our Bicycle Display**

is now arranged for the inspection of our friends, retail department first floor. "Gentlemenly agents" as they say, in the city will do all they can to show you the finest line of wheels in the state.

**In Our Show Window**

can be seen the first bicycle goods carrier brought to West Virginia. It is a revolutionary retail goods delivery everywhere. By the way, we have a line of medium grade wheels better than some that pass for "high grade." Remember the number.

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## Geo. E. Stifel & Co. Hassocks

Keep the feet off the floor and out of draughts, and many a cold is averted. Of course you can't be resting them on other pieces of furniture, but can have Hassocks—nice ones, bright colors or dark, at such low prices it won't pay you to be without them in the home or church. Two hundred received this week. Go at 35c each, or three for \$1 00.

## That Lower Window

Will interest every lady. A passing glance would only invite closer inspection, and the full satisfaction would only be realized after seeing the goods inside, for the window display contains only a sprinkling of the stock to be found on the shelves and counters. The beautiful Monotone effects in high-class Dress Fabrics are fully represented in every weave.

## Shirt Waists

Will soon become a hobby, for every lady and miss will wear them. Why should not they when the prices are so low, the styles so pretty, the waists so comfortable. We've only about 350 dozens at present, but you can get an idea of the best styles of the season by coming and looking through this sample line.

## Witch Kloth.

The first lot all sold. Second lot moving fast. It's the best polisher on the market. Jewelers, house-keepers, cyclers, all should use it.

## Dresden.

The word carries with it style and finish, and when it's put to silks there's nothing handsomer, for every beautiful color and combination is herein portrayed. The large flower, so natural on the chameleon, blue, grey or red grounds, as well as the pretty Persian effects, are really rivals of Nature's own beauty. Ball room or opera waists made from these are the handsomest you can get. Especially is this noticeable in TAFFETAS, where the subdued colors in the warp printed effects are Romanesque in appearance, ancient in design, but outwards any former attempt at waist fabrics, especially in silks.

NEW LINES of Silk Waists, Spring Wraps, Parasols, and Skirts, just received—very swell in appearance, modest in price.

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WANTED TO RENT A SUITE OF two or three rooms for young married couple, by March or April. Centrally located. Address L. E., care Intelligencer.

#### PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS Will be received at the clerk's office of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Ohio until 10 o'clock on the 21 day of March for furnishing medicine and medical attendance to the prisoners confined in the county jail for one year from the 13th day of March, 1896. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

#### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Youngstown Bridge and Terminal Railway Company will be held at the company's office, room 1204, No. 32 Liberty street, New York City, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1896, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. HENRY W. HAYDEN, Secretary.

#### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—BARBER SHOP. ENQUIRE at 25 Eleventh street. m3

HOTEL FOR SALE—17 ROOMS. FURNISHED THROUGHOUT; a good investment; paying business. Address POTTER & LAYMAN, Horton, W. Va. t63

BAKERY FOR SALE—OWING TO ILL health I offer my bakery business for sale. Call on or address W. H. WHEAT, corner Thirty-eighth and Water streets. t63

#### FOR SALE.

SALOON. Good location and trade. Can be bought cheap. Inquire of A. O. BOYCE, 1409 Clinch street. t63

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE. One bed suite and one single bed with mattresses and springs; one large desk, wardrobe, kitchen tables, chairs and stove with gas burner. At low price. Call at once, as the undersigned desires to move to Texas. H. E. MARSH, m2

DRUG STORE FOR SALE. The McLure House Pharmacy is for sale at a bargain. Proprietor will engage in other employment. Inquire of A. L. HOOTON, m2

FOR SALE. 100 shares Wheeling Steel and Iron Co. 20 shares Franklin Insurance Company. H. R. HAWKIN, Broker, No. 22 Twelfth street.

STOCKS FOR SALE. 45 shares Guyana Bank. 9 shares Riverside Glass Company. 3 Wheeling Pottery bonds, 5 per cent. 10 shares Exchange Bank. 25 shares Wellburg Dispensary Medical Association. 50 shares Dollar Savings Bank, of Bellaire.

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#### REAL ESTATE.

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No. 206 Eleventh street, A Month, \$4.00. No. 145 Eleventh street, 3 rooms, \$5.00. No. 715 Market street, 5 rooms, \$12.00. No. 510 Alley B, 6 rooms, \$9.00. No. 212 Alley B, 2 rooms, \$13.00. No. 444 Fourth street, 4 rooms, both gages, \$15.00. No.